

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 DOTE-00

FMC-01 INR-07 NSAE-00 CG-00 OFA-01 DLOS-04 L-03 /034 W

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R 280720Z JAN 76

FM AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2916X

INFO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY TUNIS

AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE TRIPOLI 0118

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EWWT

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CALLS BY AMERICAN FLAG VESSELS ON LIBYA

REF: A) 75 TRIPOLI 0835, B) STATE 016579

1. INFORMATION PROVIDED REFTEL A IS CURRENT.

EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS PORT CONGESTION IN BOTH BENGHAZI

AND TRIPOLI HAS EASED AND AVERAGE WAITING PERIOD

BOTH PORTS IS NOW ABOUT TEN DAYS.

2. EMBASSY HAS NO REQUIREMENT FOR ADVANCE NOTICE OF U.S.-FLAG  
CALLS ON LIBYAN PORTS.

3. NO U.S.-FLAG VESSELS HAVE BEEN IN REGULAR SERVICE  
TO LIBYAN PORTS SINCE 1969. LARG AUTHORITIES  
AND PETROLEUM EXPORTERS REPORT NO  
KNOWLEDGE OF ANY RECENT CALLS AT LIBYAN PORTS BY  
U.S.-FLAG NON-SCHEDULED BULK OR PETROLEUM CARRIERS.  
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## Message Attributes

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**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
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